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### THRILLING ELEVATOR STORIES.

Some Adventures During the Building of the Washington Monument. [Washington Star.]

The elevator man of the Washington monument recently told the following stories: "One day when I was coming down an empty barrel fell from the top landing. I heard the cry from above, and knew that something was coming. I directed my passengers to crowd into the middle, where the elevator was most protected from above, and when the barrel struck the top nobody said a word. There were several ladies aboard, but they didn't seem a bit frightened. At another time, when the elevator was at the top and the men were unloading a stone, a crowbar was twisted from the hands of the man who was using it and dropped down the well. We gave the signal and when the bar reached bottom there was nobody there to catch it. It went down like a | STEAM VESSELS of all kinds built complete shot, and a plummet could not have swung straighter. It went clear through the platform at the base, and made a hole about six inches deep in the asphalt at the foundation.

"Once an iron sleeve weighing seventy or eighty pounds fell while the ele ator was at the top. The cry of warning cleared out those at the bottom of the well, and it struck on a board upon which some passengers had been standing only a few moments before. Only two men were hurt during the entire time that the monument was being built. In going down a step-lad ler in the dark at the landing, near the top, one of the workmen missed his footing and fell to the landing, only a few feet, breaking his arm. It was a curious accident, for the man was perfectly familiar with all the surroundings. At another time the hand-railing at one of the landings gave away with a man who was standing upon it fixing the electric lights. Fortunately he fell the right way, and landed on the platform, the result being only a sprain. Had he gone down the well death would have been certain, for he was at a height of 200 feet.

"I don't believe there was ever a structure built calling for such dangerous work with such an uninteresting chapter of accidents. Everybody connected with the work knew just how things were being done and what care was being taken by those in charge, and that if orders were obeyed everything would be all right. I have run the elevator when the key stone was suspended directly over me. Had it fallen it would have been the end of me and the monument, too. I had no fear, however, for I knew it couldn't tall; there were too many safeguards, and the men were too careful."

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thiergo Journal. A grain ranch in California was visited by a correspondent, and described as a sample of the farms of the region. The house, standing under broad nut trees, was plain, partly of logs boarded over, but roomy and comfortable in that climate, though it would be thought rough and ricketty for a New England farmer. "The parlor has a brussels carpet, piano, haircloth furniture and pictures; the family room and guest chamber have heavy, good carpets and old-fashioned mahogany. dating years ahead of any 'art period. The family live well, taking three news-The wife has her silk gowns and gold watch, her gilt china and solid silverware; but the ranch is seven miles from any village, and she has not been of LUNCH, A SMOKE, OR A GAME OF the place for five years or had a visitor in that time."

The Queen's Glorified Footmen.

Boston Transcrint. The body servants of the queen in Sweden are called lopare or state attendants, and they wait solely on the queen and her daughter. These glorified footmen wear a very quaint uniform, consisting of a tunic, petticoat and breeches edged with gold lace. But the most surprising part of their attire is a wonderful head-dress, consisting of a kind of embroidered skull-cap, from which rises three ostrich feathers, none of which are less than three feet high.

How Fashions 4 . Determined. A New York merchant gives some curious instances how fashions are primarily determined by society women's jealousy of those beneath them. Thus they wore ulsters for awhile, till the shop-girls adopted them and looked much prettier in them than the society girls, being usually handsomer and better shaped. So with banged hair. The former wore it till they were outshone by the sales girls, and now they comb their hair straight bank.

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